

Mr. Cleveland, according to information received through our exchanges, is losing fast his hold on the people of his party and Democratic representatives will, it is stated, be in open revolt against him and his methods when Congress meets in December. The President has never been much in favor with that class of Democratic voters who believe that "the victors belong the spoils" and they have doubtless had large accessions to their numbers since Mr. Cleveland failed to cast his vote in the last campaign and to give his influence to his party. Now it is boldly charged that he is responsible for the loss of Tennessee by the Democrats and for the defeat of Democratic candidates for Congress in that and other States. That class of Democratic voters too, who believe that "the knows it all" is undoubtedly growing smaller daily and this growing want of confidence in his democracy and disapproval of his financial policy seems likely to be troublesome to the President. An attack will be made by the Democratic representatives when Congress meets, it is stated, upon the President because his financial schemes do not suit them—a statement which could be supplemented very properly so as to be made to read, and also because his democracy is not according to their liking—and if made is likely to be a very bitter one.

A movement is said to be on foot to raise a pension fund for Life Saving men by voluntary contributions, and though it promises very little to them, everybody should approve it as a step in the right direction. Men who are so often called upon to face death as they are, to save the lives of others, of course, should have this pension, and the cause will not be injured if the way proposed is a failure. Agitation of the matter can do no harm and may eventually lead the Government to deal justly by them. A government which pays millions of dollars annually to the men who served their country by taking the lives of others, cannot long withhold the pittance which should be given to the men who spend their time in saving the lives of others. Justice to them would, perhaps, be long deferred, if it could be obtained only through voluntary contributions, but unless it can be secured by other means, the movement proposed should be encouraged certainly until there is something better in sight.

The question of an extra session of the legislature of Virginia this winter, so generally discussed throughout the State, does not find favor with the Governor and is therefore practically settled. He does not think the necessity for legislation exists, which would warrant him on subjecting the Commonwealth to that expense and it is not likely that two-thirds of the members of both houses will unite in a request to the Governor to convene it, the only other way by which an extra session can be obtained. Whatever the necessity might be, Governors with senatorial aspirations, do not think that the people are in a mood to be fooled with, by favoring any measure in which expense is likely to be incurred. The Governor is right, but no one knows better than he does that his decision in the matter is in accord with the will of the people.

The State Canvassing Board will meet next Monday to canvass the returns of the Congressional election of November 6th, and all the certificates will be awarded, of course, with one exception to Democrats, in accordance with the will of the people. The presumption is of course a natural one that the Board will not entertain for a moment any proposition for stealing the seat of any member of Congress, and Borland of the second district will be the only Republican who will ask them through his counsel to commit the theft.

The stay-at-home Democrats are responsible for the "slump" which overtook them on last election day according to the official returns of many States. Twenty per cent. of the Democrats in 1892 failed to respond to the call to the polls in 1894, if the figures given are correct. Under such a condition, therefore, it is no wonder that the Democrats were so badly beaten. The consolation to be derived from the figures, however, is that they did not go over to the Republicans and may do their duty another time.

St. Luke's Church, situated five miles from Smithfield, Va., is the oldest Protestant church in America. Recently it has been undergoing repairs and was rededicated last week. The church was erected in 1602 and was in constant use until 1776 and was not entirely abandoned until 1836. The work of restoration began five years ago. The inside has been renovated and magnificent memorial windows placed to the memory of Pocahontas, Rolfe, Washington, Lee and several colonial heroes and dignitaries.

Col. Thomas F. Goode, of Meeklenburg county, has donated \$1,000 for the relief of the disabled Confederate veterans of that county.

Debt of Virginia.

The report of the Second Auditor, Mr. Josiah Ryland, is in the hands of the Superintendent of Public Printing, and from it Mr. Ryland has prepared the following condensed statement regarding the State debt:

Since the passage of the act of January 31, 1894, extending the time in which holders of old securities could fund them, under provisions of the act of February 20, 1892, there has been funded:

Of principal \$ 652,495 06

Of interest 391,802 67

Total \$1,044,298 03

New bonds issued \$ 712,785 61

This is a better showing than was anticipated, and leaves a comparatively small amount of the old debt outstanding—viz:

Consolidated bonds \$ 584,200 00

Fractional " " 12,900 01

Pealer, coupon, and registered " 35,407 54

10-4 coupon bonds 108,800 00

Old unfunded 634,914 67

Total principal \$1,371,223 12

Total interest 1,832,753 57

Aggregate \$3,203,976 69

AN AMPLIFIED STATEMENT.

This includes bonds and interest held by the United States Government, against which the State claims an ample offset, and also sundry bonds, with interest, which were issued to several works of internal improvement and cannot be funded, and large amounts of old arrearages of interest which will never be called for, as well as bonds and coupons which are supposed to be lost. The estimate, therefore, is that the aggregate of new debt, which now amounts to \$1,371,223.12, will never exceed \$1,832,753.57.

This will make the entire debt of the State:

Riddleberger's \$ 6,331,581 40

Centuries 18,250,000 00

Total \$24,581,581 40

ANNUAL INTEREST.

The annual interest on this will be \$554,947.44. This does not include the bonds held by institutions of learning, which aggregate \$2,466,455.53, with annual interest amounting to \$140,331.32, which have been put on the same footing with regular appropriations.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have purchased during the year \$377,000 of century bonds, at a cost of \$199,391, and it is hoped that a sufficient amount can be appropriated each year for this purpose, to so reduce the debt by 1901, when the interest is to be increased to 3 per cent., that it will not amount to more than it does at this time.

Mr. Ryland calls special attention to the fact that the act passed at the last session of the General Assembly extending the time in which holders of old securities could fund into centuries has been extended to its extreme limit. No funding can be done after January 1, 1895. "My impression," says Mr. Ryland, "is that the future will witness the slow reopening of the question, as all holders of old securities have had ample notice to fund them."

To Raise Price of Flour.

A Chicago telegram in last Saturday's Baltimore American says: The initial steps looking towards the curtailment of the flour output, by a six weeks' suspension of the merchant mills of the country, were taken at a meeting of millers at the Auditorium today. The meeting consisted of twenty men, who were chosen by vote, and in whose selection five hundred millers, representing a daily output of 350,000 barrels, were invited to take part.

The committee was unanimous in agreeing that the price of flour was below a profit yielding point, and that some concerted action by the trade was necessary to bring up the price to a profit point. An arbitrary increase of the price was given little consideration as the customs mills scattered all over the country could not be brought into line. The reduction of stocks was regarded as the best method of tending to an increase in price. At present an increase was then formed to shut down the mills for a period of six weeks, within the three months beginning December 10. The agreement will be in force when mills representing a production of 150,000 barrels a day have signed the same.

His Eye on the Governorship.

I hear it said that Congressman Jones, of the First District, will not be a candidate for re-election in 1896, and that he has his eye on the governorship. A gentleman who enjoys the confidence of Mr. Jones, when asked about the matter, confirmed the rumor that the Congressman would retire from the House at the end of the term to which he has just been elected, but he was unable to say whether or not Mr. Jones desired to succeed Governor O'Ferrall in the Executive Mansion.

He was of the opinion that the report was premature. Mr. Jones has often told him that he was not able to be in Congress, as his law practice was worth more to him than the salary he gets in Washington. Now that nearly all of the Democratic members of the House are defeated of re-election the younger members will have a fine opportunity to come to the front, and Jones is one of those who is expected to show up well. It may be that he will make a record for himself that will compel him to stay at the National Capital.—Cor. Norfolk Virginian.

Typhoid in Oysters.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., November 20.—Dr. C. A. Lindsley, secretary of the State Board of Health, has completed his investigation into the typhoid fever cases of Wesleyan College, Middletown, which have thus far resulted in the death of two students. He is satisfied the diseased oysters were the cause of the epidemic. On the evening of October 12th, at three secret society banquets, held at Wesleyan, raw oysters were served. Ten days later twenty students were taken ill with typhoid fever.

The oysters were taken from beds in the Quinnipiac river, very near the outlet of a sewer. Dr. Lindsley has learned that the wife of a member of the firm which owned these oyster beds died but a short time ago of typhoid malaria fever. A daughter was also taken ill with the same fever shortly after her mother's death.

The Virginia Oyster Survey.

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 16.—Capt. J. B. Baylor, of the United States coast survey, reported to Governor O'Ferrall tonight that he has completed surveying the oyster bottoms on the Atlantic side of Accomac and Northampton counties. This finishes the survey of the entire oyster grounds of the State, on which he has been engaged the greater part of nearly three years. It will take him several months yet to complete the work. He says that there are 8,000 acres of good natural oyster rock, on the Atlantic side, where he has just made the survey.

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AT

Public Auction.

The undersigned trustees in deeds from C. Lamartine Bunting, Geo. T. Bunting and Mrs. Maria G. Bunting, will sell at the request of the board of trustees (for their assignees) in said deeds, on

Saturday, November 24th, 1894,

at 2:30 p. m.,

in front of Hotel Kellam, Wachapreague, the following real estate:

All that tract, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in Upshur's Neck, in said county, containing by estimation two hundred and sixteen acres (216 A.) besides the marsh, and bounded as follows: On the northeast by the land of Upshur B. Quinby; on the southeast by Upshur's Broadwater; on the south-west by the land of said Quinby; and on the northwest by Machapungo Creek.

This farm is one of the best and most productive on the seaside and may be conveniently divided into two or three farms, with an abundance of resources for each. It is improved by a comfortable dwelling and all necessary outbuildings, beautifully located, convenient to churches and schools, and has shipping points in easy reach of same for the delivery of produce, and has valuable oyster planting grounds on each side of said farm.

Terms of Sale.

1st. Five per cent. of the purchase money will be required in cash on the day of sale, with the privilege to the purchaser to pay the whole or any additional sum in cash on the day of sale, and the balance will be divided into three equal installments, payable at the expiration of one, two and three years, respectively, from the day of sale, with interest thereon (from that day till paid, secured by the bonds of the purchaser with approved personal security thereto, and the title to the premises will be retained as additional security until the whole of the purchase money is paid.

2d. Possession will be given January 1st, 1895, if not rented out, if rented out the rents will go to the purchaser and possession to premises be given January 1st, 1896.

3d. The premises will be at the purchaser's risk as soon as bid off to him.

4th. The rents and profits for the present year are reserved and do not pass to the purchaser. The taxes on the said land will be paid to January 1st, 1895.

5th. Upon the payment in full of the purchase money for said land the undersigned will convey the same to the purchaser, by deed with special warranty of title, upon the same being properly prepared at the purchaser's expense and tendered to him for execution.

J. W. G. Blackstone,

J. G. Noel,

L. E. Noel,

J. T. Noel.

Trustees.

In the Circuit Court of the County of Accomac.

Arinthia S. Rose's admr. et al., who sues, &c., vs. Plaintiff.

William H. Rose's admr. d. b. n., Deft. In Chancery.

Office of the Commissioner in Chancery.

Accomac C. H., Va., Nov. 13, 1894.

To the creditors and heirs-at-law of William H. Rose, dec'd., and all others concerned:—You are hereby notified that in pursuance of the decree entered in this cause on the 4th day of October, 1894, I have appointed the 12th day of December, 1894, as my said office, as the time and place for receiving proof of all debts and demands against the said decedent, and of ascertaining who are his heirs at law. And by the said decree I was ordered to post notice of the time and place of executing this reference at three or more public places in the vicinity of the late residence of the said Wm. H. Rose, at the front door of the courthouse of this county, and publish the same for four successive weeks in the PENINSULA ENTERPRISER a newspaper published at Accomac C. H.

All parties interested in the said business are required to attend at said time and place above written.

Given under my hand as commissioner in chancery of said court, the day and year above written.

S. T. ROSS.

The Lady Thompson

Strawberry.

A large supply of the pure "Lady Thompson" strawberry plants, grown and for sale by G. S. Reid, 271 Church St., Norfolk, Va., at the low price of \$2.50 per thousand, to be delivered in February or March, 1895. First sets were taken from field of Mr. Thompson, Wayne Co., N. C. L. J. Hyslop, Keller, agent for Accomac.

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A. Frank Byrd.

Leemont, Nov. 24th.

Hunting Creek, Nov. 28th, morning.

Accomac C. H., first day of every court.

Due notice will be given of other appointments.

Those failing to pay their Taxes and Levies before the first day of December next, will have 5 per cent. added to their bill, as the law directs.

If you have not paid your 1893 taxes, please meet us at the place most convenient to yourself, and do so.

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